

may furnish a check weighman, who shall at proper times have full access and examination of such scales and seeing all measures and weights, and accounts kept of the same; Provided, that not more than one person shall have such right of access, examination and inspection of scales, measures and accounts at the same time.

Sec. 7. *Be it further enacted,* That the Chief Mine Inspector shall procure from the State, at the State's expense, a full and complete set of standards, balance and other means of adjustment such as are necessary in the comparison and adjustment of scales beams and other necessary apparatus to be used for a just weighing of coal and other materials at the mines according to the State Standard of weights; that it shall be the duty of said Inspector to examine, test, and adjust as often as occasion demands, all scales and other apparatus used in weighing at mines.

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Sec. 8. *Be it further enacted,* That the operator or superintendent of every coal mine, whether shaft, slope, or drift, shall provide and hereafter maintain, ample means of ventilation for the circulation of air through the main entries and all other working places to an extent that will dilute, carry off, and render harmless the noxious gases generated in the mines, Provided, it shall be the special duty of the Inspector and his assistants to carry out the provisions of this section; and it shall also be the duty of each and every mine operator and mine boss to assist the Inspector and his assistants in carrying into effect said provisions.

Mine ventilation.

*And be it further provided,* That if at any time the Inspector or his assistants are notified that the ventilation in any coal mine within this State is insufficient, the said Chief Inspector, or one of his assistants shall proceed within five days to investigate said complaint or complaints by personal inspection of any mine or mines in which the quality or quantity of air is complained of, and if on investigation he finds that

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